Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 09 Feb 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 10 Feb 2024

Forecast Issued on Friday 09 Feb 2024 at 01:09

Confidence: High for worst of conditions Friday then showers from the weekend.

Headline for Friday 09 Feb 2024: Cloudy to overcast by day with occasional rain, wintry at times across highest peaks. Summit winds strong at first.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 09 Feb 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG
Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog
Precipitation probability					
80%	70%	70%	60%	50%	30%

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Weather: Overcast this morning with spells of mostly rain, although with sleet or possibly snow over the highest summits at first. This afternoon the rain gradually eases, and this evening some limited cloud breaks may develop. However, where they do patchy low level fog will quickly form.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 10% or less until late evening, then improving 30%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Good becoming moderate or poor in rain and sleet, very poor in snow and within cloud. Bases extensive from 300m this morning, gradually rising 600m later today and perhaps becoming occasional later this evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	17/20 SE	16/20 SE	21/26 S	20/25 S	22/28 SW	24/30 SW	22/28 SW
600	15/18 SE	11/16 S	16/21 S	15/20 S	15/21 S	16/22 SW	14/20 SW
300	11/18 SE	7/12 SE	10/17 S	10/16 S	11/18 S	11/20 S	9/18 S
Valley	11/18 SE	7/12 SE	9/16 S	8/14 S	9/16 S	11/19 S	8/17 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	3/-2	4/-1	4/-1	3/-2	2/-4	2/-4	1/-5
600	6/2	5/2	5/1	5/0	4/-1	4/-1	3/-1
300	6/2	6/4	7/4	7/4	6/2	6/2	5/2
Valley	6/3	6/4	8/5	8/5	7/4	7/4	7/4
Freezing Level*	1700m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1500m	1200m	1000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Severe wind chill restricted to higher peaks and early today. Widespread hill fog will create difficult navigation.

Forecast for Saturday 10 Feb 2024

Weather: Occasional brighter spells, best through the morning, and some showers, with most showers arriving through the afternoon and through the evening. Showers will be wintry across highest peaks.

Maximum wind: South 15-20mph gusting 35 mph, easing later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% increasing 80% through the morning, becoming 60% from late afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Good or very good becoming moderate or poor in showers, very poor in wintry showers and within cloud with bases occasional 600m. Distance hills clearly visible for much of the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Zero Celsius increasing 10 Celsius during the afternoon
At 800m: Plus 2 Celsius
Freezing level: 1000m

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